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References AL-AP (sheets 1 and 2) and AD and AE (sheet 3) are of record in corresponding foreign patent applications; a copy of each of these references is enclosed.

Consideration of these references in the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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